

MABUCHI AND AUBIN-YAU FUNCTIONALS OVER COMPLEX MANIFOLDS

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ABSTRACT. In the previous papers [2, 3] the author constructed Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals over any complex surfaces and three-folds, respectively. Using the method in [3], we construct those functionals over any complex manifolds of the complex dimension bigger than or equal to 2.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals play a crucial role in studying Kähler-Einstein metrics and constant scalar curvatures(see [5]). How to generalize these functionals from Kähler geometry to complex geometry is an interesting problem:

Question 1.1. *Can we define Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals over compact complex manifolds so that these functionals coincide with the original definitions and satisfy the same basic properties?*

In [2, 3], the author answered this question in the complex dimension two and three, respectively, and proved similar results in the Kähler setting. By carefully

checking and using a similar method in [3], we can construct those functionals in higher dimension cases. So, now, we give an affirmative answer to Question 1.1.

1.1. Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals on Kähler manifolds. In this subsection we review Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals on Kähler manifolds, and describe some basic properties of these functionals which also hold in any complex manifolds. Let (X, ω) be a compact Kähler manifold of the complex dimension n . Then the volume

$$(1.1) \quad V_\omega := \int_X \omega^n$$

depends only on the Kähler class of ω . Let $\mathcal{P}_\omega^{\text{Kähler}}$ denote the space of Kähler potentials and define the Mabuchi functional, for any smooth functions $\varphi', \varphi'' \in \mathcal{P}_\omega^{\text{Kähler}}$, by

$$(1.2) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M,Kähler}}(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \omega_{\varphi_t}^n dt$$

where φ_t is any smooth path in $\mathcal{P}_\omega^{\text{Kähler}}$ from φ' to φ'' . Mabuchi [4] showed that (1.2) is well-defined.

Using (1.2) we can define Aubin-Yau functionals, for any smooth function $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega^{\text{Kähler}}$, as follows:

$$(1.3) \quad \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi (\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n),$$

$$(1.4) \quad \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) = -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M,Kähler}}(0, \varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n.$$

So Aubin-Yau functionals are also well-defined. The basic and often useful inequalities, for any smooth function $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega^{\text{Kähler}}$, are

$$(1.5) \quad \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) \geq 0,$$

$$(1.6) \quad (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) \geq 0.$$

An important consequence is that we will use the inequalities (1.5) and (1.6) to determine the extra terms on the definitions of $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ and $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$, which are Aubin-Yau functionals over complex manifolds.

However, if ω is not closed, then the above definitions (1.2), (1.3), and (1.4) do not make any sense. Hence we should add some extra terms on the definitions of those functionals; these extra terms should involve $\partial\omega$ and $\bar{\partial}\omega$, but, the essential question is to find the structure of the extra terms. Roughly speaking, $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ and $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) + \text{terms involving } \partial\omega, \bar{\partial}\varphi + \text{terms involving } \bar{\partial}\omega, \partial\varphi, \\ \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY,Kähler}}(\varphi) + \text{terms involving } \partial\omega, \bar{\partial}\varphi + \text{terms involving } \bar{\partial}\omega, \partial\varphi. \end{aligned}$$

In the following sections, we will explicitly determine the extra terms.

Throughout the rest part of this paper, we denote by (X, g) a compact complex manifold of the complex dimension $n \geq 2$, and ω be the associated real $(1, 1)$ -form. Let

$$(1.7) \quad \mathcal{P}_\omega := \left\{ \varphi \in C^\infty(X)_\mathbb{R} \mid \omega_\varphi := \omega + \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\varphi > 0 \right\}$$

be the space of all real-valued smooth functions on X whose associated real $(1, 1)$ -forms are positive.

1.2. Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals on complex surfaces. In this subsection we recall the main result in [2]. Let (X, g) be a compact complex manifold of the complex dimension 2 and ω be its associated real $(1, 1)$ -form. For any $\varphi', \varphi'' \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$, we define

$$(1.8) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \omega_{\varphi_t}^2 dt \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge (\bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (\partial \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt, \end{aligned}$$

where $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ is any smooth path in \mathcal{P}_ω from φ' to φ'' . Then in [2] we showed that the functional (1.8) is independent of the choice of the smooth path $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$. If we set

$$\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) := \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(0, \varphi),$$

then we have an explicit formula [2] of $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi)$:

$$(1.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{3V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^2 + \omega \wedge \omega_\varphi + \omega_\varphi^2) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(-\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi). \end{aligned}$$

Now Aubin-Yau functionals are defined by

$$(1.10) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^2 - \omega_\varphi^2) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi, \end{aligned}$$

$$(1.11) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^2 \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover they also satisfy the inequalities (1.5) and (1.6); that is

$$(1.12) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2}{3} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &\geq 0, \\ 3 \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}} - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &\geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

1.3. Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals on complex three-folds. The functionals over complex three-folds are very different with these over complex

surfaces. For any $\varphi', \varphi'' \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$, we define

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.13) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \omega_{\varphi_t}^3 dt \\
 &- \frac{3}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t} \wedge (\bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
 &+ \frac{3}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t} \wedge (\partial \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
 &- \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \partial \varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \\
 &- \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \partial \varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \dot{\varphi}_t,
 \end{aligned}$$

where $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ is any smooth path in \mathcal{P}_ω from φ' to φ'' . In [3], we proved that (1.13) is well-defined.

For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$ we also set $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) := \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(0, \varphi)$. If we chose $\varphi_t = t \cdot \varphi$, then we have an explicit formula [3] of $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi)$:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.14) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{4V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^3 \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{3-i} \\
 &- \sum_{i=0}^1 \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{1-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
 &+ \sum_{i=0}^1 \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{1-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
 \end{aligned}$$

Now we define Aubin-Yau functionals $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}, \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}$ for any compact complex three-fold (X, ω) :

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.15) \quad \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi (\omega^3 - \omega_\varphi^3) \\
 &- \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
 &+ \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi, \\
 (1.16) \quad \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^3 \\
 &- \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
 &+ \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.17) \quad \frac{3}{4} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &\geq 0, \\
 4 \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &\geq 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

1.4. Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals on complex manifolds. In this subsection we assume that the complex dimension n of the compact complex manifold (X, ω) is bigger than or equal to 3. For $\varphi', \varphi'' \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$, define

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.18) \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \omega_{\varphi_t}^n dt \\
&- \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\partial \dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X (-1)^i \binom{n}{i+2} \partial \varphi_t \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi_t)^{i-1} \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X (-1)^i \binom{n}{i+2} \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial \varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi_t)^{i-1},
\end{aligned}$$

where $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ is any smooth path in \mathcal{P}_ω from φ' to φ'' . In Section 2, we prove

Theorem 1.2. *For any $n \geq 3$, the functional (1.18) is independent of the choice of the smooth path $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ in \mathcal{P}_ω from φ' to φ'' .*

As a consequence of Theorem 1.2, by taking $\varphi_t = t \cdot \varphi$, we have, for any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$,

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.19) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) &:= \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(0, \varphi) = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^n \int_X \frac{1}{n+1} \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} \\
&- \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

As before, we define Aubin-Yau functionals for any complex manifolds by

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.20) \quad \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi (\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i},
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.21) \quad \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \int_X \frac{n-i}{n+1} \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i}.
\end{aligned}$$

In Section 3, we shall show the following

Theorem 1.3. *For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$, one has*

$$(1.22) \quad \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \geq 0,$$

$$(1.23) \quad (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \geq 0.$$

In particular, $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi), \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ are nonnegative, and

$$(1.24) \quad \frac{1}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi),$$

$$(1.25) \quad \frac{n+1}{n} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi),$$

$$(1.26) \quad \frac{1}{n} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \frac{1}{n+1} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ \leq \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq n \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi).$$

1.5. Further questions. Up to now we consider functionals over compact complex manifolds without boundary, and we hope that the similar constructions can be achieved for compact complex manifolds with boundary.

Question 1.4. *Can we define Mabuchi and Aubin-Yau functionals over compact complex manifolds with boundary so that these functionals coincide with the original definitions and satisfy the same basic properties?*

There are other functionals, for example, Mabuchi $\mathcal{K}_\omega^{\text{M}}$ [4] functional, Chen-Tian functionals [1], etc. We can ask the following

Question 1.5. *Can we define the analogy Mabuchi $\mathcal{K}_\omega^{\text{M}}$ and Chen-Tian functionals over complex manifolds with(out) boundary?*

In the future, we will study those two questions.

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2. MABUCHI $\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}$ FUNCTIONAL ON COMPLEX MANIFOLDS

In this section we assume that (X, ω) is a compact complex manifold of the complex dimension $n \geq 3$. For any two complex forms α and β , we frequently use the following formulas: if $|\alpha| + |\beta| = 2n - 1$, then

$$(2.1) \quad \int_X \alpha \wedge \partial \beta = (-1)^{|\beta|} \int_X \partial \alpha \wedge \beta = -(-1)^{|\alpha|} \int_X \partial \alpha \wedge \beta,$$

$$(2.2) \quad \int_X \alpha \wedge \bar{\partial} \beta = (-1)^{|\beta|} \int_X \bar{\partial} \alpha \wedge \beta = -(-1)^{|\alpha|} \int_X \bar{\partial} \alpha \wedge \beta.$$

Another useful formula is

$$(2.3) \quad \alpha \wedge \alpha = 0, \quad \text{if } |\alpha| \text{ is odd.}$$

By the definition of operators ∂ and $\bar{\partial}$, one has

$$(2.4) \quad \partial \bar{\partial} + \bar{\partial} \partial = 0.$$

Hence the complex conjugate of the operator $\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial}$ is itself.

2.1. The main idea. Similarly in [3], we consider $\psi(s, t) = s \cdot \varphi_t$ and we can show that (see (2.49))

$$(2.5) \quad \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} = \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + c_1,$$

$$(2.6) \quad \frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} = \frac{3}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}c_1 + c_2,$$

where I^i are functionals which can be determined¹, c_j are also functionals but may not be determined, and a_k are nonzero constants which can be determined later. We can use equation (2.6) to eliminate the undetermined term c_1 , but there arises another undetermined term c_2 . Our strategy is to find a determined expression for c_2 . To achieve this we construct two sequences $\{I^{2i+1}\}_{2 \leq i \leq n-2}$, which can be determined, and $\{c_i\}_{2 \leq i \leq n-2}$, which may not be determined, satisfying

$$(2.7) \quad \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} + \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}} = \frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}c_i + c_{i+1}, \quad 2 \leq i \leq n-2,$$

where $I^{2i+2} := \overline{I^{2i+1}}$, $a_{2i+2} := \overline{a_{2i+1}}$ and a_{2i+1} can be determined later. By our construction we have $c_{n-1} \equiv 0$ which gives us the determined and explicit formula for c_2 in terms of I^{2i+1} and a_{2i+1} . More precisely, setting

$$(2.8) \quad J_i := \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} + \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}},$$

yields

$$(2.9) \quad c_{i+1} = -\frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}c_i + J_i, \quad 2 \leq i \leq n-2.$$

By induction on i we obtain

$$(2.10) \quad c_i = (-1)^{i-2} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{3!(n-3)!} c_2 + \sum_{k=2}^{i-1} (-1)^{i-1-k} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!} J_k.$$

Since $c_{n-1} \equiv 0$ it follows that

$$(2.11) \quad \begin{aligned} c_2 &= (-1)^{n-3} \frac{3!(n-3)!}{n!} \left[0 - \sum_{k=2}^{n-2} (-1)^{n-2-k} \frac{n!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!} J_k \right] \\ &= \sum_{k=2}^{n-2} (-1)^k \frac{3!(n-3)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!} J_k, \quad n \geq 4. \end{aligned}$$

When X is a three-fold, we knew that $c_2 = 0$ [3], but this can be seen from (2.11) if we take $n = 3$. Hence the formula (2.11) holds for any $n \geq 3$.

2.2. The definitions of c_1 and c_2 . Firstly, we consider the "Kähler part" of Mabuchi functional. Let

$$(2.12) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^0(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \omega_{\varphi_t}^n dt.$$

¹A functional \mathcal{I} is said to be determined if $d\Psi = \mathcal{I} \cdot dt \wedge ds$ for some 1-form Ψ on $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$.

As in [2, 3], we set $\psi(s, t) := s \cdot \varphi_t$, $0 \leq t, s \leq 1$, and consider the corresponding 1-form on $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$,

$$(2.13) \quad \Psi^0 = \left(\int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^n \right) ds + \left(\int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^n \right) dt.$$

Taking the differential on both sides implies

$$(2.14) \quad d\Psi^0 = I^0 \cdot dt \wedge ds$$

where

$$(2.15) \quad I^0 := \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^n \right) - \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^n \right).$$

The explicit expression of I^0 can be determined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} I^0 &= \int_X \left[\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} n \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} n \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \right] \\ &= \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) - \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) + \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= - \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) - \int_X n \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Here we have two slightly different expressions of I^0 , and in the following we will use those expressions to find $c_1 = A_1 + B_1 - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1})$, where $A_1, B_1, \overline{A_1}$ and $\overline{B_1}$ are determined later. This technique will be frequently used in many places. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} I^0 &= \int_X -n \sqrt{-1} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) + \int_X -n \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-1} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= \int_X -n \sqrt{-1} \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-1} + (n-1) \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &+ \int_X -n \sqrt{-1} \left[\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-1} + (n-1) \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \right] \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= \int_X -n(n-1) \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &+ \int_X -n(n-1) \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$(2.16) \quad \begin{aligned} I^0 &= \int_X -n(n-1) \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &+ \int_X -n(n-1) \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Using another expression of I^0 , or taking the complex conjugate on both sides of (2.16) since I^0 is real, one has

$$(2.17) \quad \begin{aligned} I^0 &= \int_X n(n-1)\sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &+ \int_X n(n-1)\sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, adding (2.17) to (2.16) and dividing by $n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}$ on both sides, we deduce

$$(2.18) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} &= \int_X \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial\omega + \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \\ &- \int_X \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial\omega - \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega. \end{aligned}$$

According to the expression (2.18), we introduce two functionals

$$(2.19) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^1(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_1 \partial\omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt,$$

$$(2.20) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^2(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_2 \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\partial\dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt.$$

Here a_1, a_2 are non-zero constants determined later and we require $\overline{a_1} = a_2$. Satisfying this condition, a_1 and a_2 have lots of solutions. In the following we will see that we take only two special cases: a_i are purely complex numbers; a_i are real numbers. Consider the corresponding two 1-forms on $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$,

$$(2.21) \quad \begin{aligned} \Psi^1 &= \left[\int_X a_1 \partial\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right] ds \\ &+ \left[\int_X a_1 \partial\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right] dt, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.22) \quad \begin{aligned} \Psi^2 &= \left[\int_X a_2 \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right] ds \\ &+ \left[\int_X a_2 \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Firstly, we compute the differential of Ψ^1 , and the differential $d\Psi^2$ can be easily written down only by taking the complex conjugate on both sides. Calculate

$$(2.23) \quad d\Psi^1 = I^1 \cdot dt \wedge ds$$

where

$$(2.24) \quad \begin{aligned} I^1 &= \int_X a_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\partial\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right] \\ &- \int_X a_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\partial\omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \cdot \psi \right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Dividing by a_1 on both sides of (2.24), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^1}{a_1} &= \int_X -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\left(\psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \right] \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\left(\psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \right] \\
&= \int_X - \left[\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) + \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t \partial s} \right) \right] \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \\
&+ \int_X \left[\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) + \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial s \partial t} \right) \right] \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \\
&+ \int_X \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge (n-2) \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \\
&+ \int_X \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge (n-2) \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \\
&= \int_X -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega + \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \\
&+ \int_X \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge (n-2) \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \\
&+ \int_X \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge (n-2) \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega.
\end{aligned}$$

To simplify the notation, we set

$$(2.25) \quad A_1 := \int_X \psi (n-2) \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right),$$

$$(2.26) \quad B_1 := \int_X \psi (n-2) \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right).$$

Consequently, I^1/a_1 can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^1}{a_1} &= \int_X -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega + \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \partial \omega \\
(2.27) \quad &+ A_1 + B_1.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we can define I^2 by

$$(2.28) \quad d\Psi^2 = I^2 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^2}{a_2} &:= \int_X -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega + \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-2} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \\
(2.29) \quad &+ \overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Consequently, from (2.18), (2.27) and (2.29),

$$(2.30) \quad \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} = \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + (A_1 + B_1) - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}).$$

By a direct computation and using (2.1) and (2.3), one can show that the sum $A_1 + B_1$ has a nice form:

$$\begin{aligned}
A_1 &= \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \left[(n-2) \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-2) \left[\partial \left(\psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-2) \left[\partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) + \psi \cdot \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \right] \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X (n-2) \psi \cdot \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&+ \int_X (n-2) \sqrt{-1} \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X -(n-2) \psi \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\
&+ \int_X -(n-2) \sqrt{-1} \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&= -B_1 - \int_X (n-2) \sqrt{-1} \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3}.
\end{aligned}$$

Adding the term B_1 on both sides gives

$$(2.31) \quad A_1 + B_1 = \int_X -(n-2) \sqrt{-1} \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3}.$$

According to (2.31), we define

$$(2.32) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^3(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_3 \partial \varphi_t \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-3},$$

$$(2.33) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^4(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_4 \bar{\partial} \varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial \varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-3},$$

where a_3, a_4 are nonzero constants determined later and we require $\overline{a_3} = a_4$. Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.34) \quad \Psi^3 &= \left[\int_X a_3 \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] ds \\
&+ \left[\int_X a_3 \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] dt,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.35) \quad \Psi^4 &= \left[\int_X a_4 \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] ds \\
&+ \left[\int_X a_4 \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Calculate

$$(2.36) \quad d\Psi^3 = I^3 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$(2.37) \quad \begin{aligned} I^3 &:= \int_X a_3 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] \\ &\quad - \int_X a_3 \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Also, we can calculate

$$(2.38) \quad d\Psi^4 = I^4 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$(2.39) \quad \begin{aligned} I^4 &:= \int_X a_4 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] \\ &\quad - \int_X a_4 \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{I^3}{a_3} &= \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right. \\ &\quad + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial t \partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \Big] \\ &\quad - \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right. \\ &\quad + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial s \partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \Big]. \end{aligned}$$

The second term and the sixth term cancel with each other, and the third term and the seventh term are the same, so we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{I^3}{a_3} &= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + 2 \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \int_X (n-3)\partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &\quad - \int_X (n-3)\partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= H_1 + \frac{2}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}(A_1 + B_1) + A_2 + B_2, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(2.40) \quad \begin{aligned} H_1 &:= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.41) \quad \begin{aligned} A_2 &:= \int_X (n-3) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &\quad \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.42) \quad \begin{aligned} B_2 &:= - \int_X (n-3) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &\quad \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$(2.43) \quad \frac{I^4}{a_4} = \overline{H_1} + \frac{2}{(n-2)\sqrt{-1}} (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}) + \overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}.$$

The hard part is to find some suitable expression of H_1 . In the following we will see that $H_1 + \overline{H_1}$ has a nice form which contains only $A_1, B_1, \overline{A_1}$, and $\overline{B_1}$.

Now we compute H_1 , using (2.3) and (2.4):

$$\begin{aligned} H_1 &= \int_X \partial \left[\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &\quad + \int_X \bar{\partial} \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} - \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial (\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3}) \right] \\ &\quad + \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} - \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} (\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3}) \right] \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge (\partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} - \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-3) \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial \omega) \\ &\quad + \int_X -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad + \int_X -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-3) \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \\ &= \int_X \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \wedge \partial \psi \\ &\quad + \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot -\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge [\bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} - \partial \omega \wedge (n-3) \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega] \wedge \partial \psi \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-3) \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.44) \quad H_1 &= \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\partial\omega \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi,
\end{aligned}$$

and, taking the complex conjugate yields, using (2.3) and (2.4)

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.45) \quad \overline{H_1} &= \int_X \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-3} \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge (n-3)\omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \partial\psi.
\end{aligned}$$

Adding (2.45) to (2.44), it follows that

$$(2.46) \quad H_1 + \overline{H_1} = \frac{A_1 + B_1}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}} + \frac{\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}}{(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}.$$

and, hence,

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} &= H_1 + \overline{H_1} + \frac{2}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}[(A_1 + B_1) - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1})] \\
&+ A_2 + B_2 + \overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2} \\
(2.47) \quad &= \frac{3}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}[(A_1 + B_1) - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1})] + (A_2 + B_2) + (\overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}).
\end{aligned}$$

Set

$$(2.48) \quad c_1 := A_1 + B_1 - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}), \quad c_2 := A_2 + B_2 + \overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}.$$

we deduce

$$(2.49) \quad \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} = \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + c_1, \quad \frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} = \frac{3}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}c_1 + c_2.$$

2.3. The constructions of I^5 and I^6 . To give the general construction of I^{2i+1} and I^{2i+2} , we firstly consider some special cases. In this subsection we give the construction of I^5 and I^6 , and in the next subsection the construction of I^7 and I^8 . Finally, we give the general construction.

From (2.41), it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
A_2 &= \int_X (n-3) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \left[(n-3) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-3) \left[\partial \left(\partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X -\sqrt{-1} (n-3) \left[\partial\psi \wedge \left(\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) - \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \right) \right] \\
&\quad \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X (n-3) \partial\psi \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&\quad + \int_X (n-3) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X (n-3) \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi - B_2;
\end{aligned}$$

hence, by the definition (2.42), we have

$$(2.50) \quad A_2 + B_2 = \int_X (n-3) \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi.$$

Motivated by (2.50), we set

$$(2.51) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^5(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_5 \partial\varphi_t \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t,$$

$$(2.52) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^6(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_6 \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t.$$

Consider again the 1-forms

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^5 &= \left[\int_X a_5 \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] ds \\
(2.53) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_5 \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] dt,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^6 &= \left[\int_X a_6 \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] ds \\
(2.54) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_6 \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

The differential of Ψ^5 is given by

$$(2.55) \quad d\Psi^5 = I^5 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$(2.56) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{I^5}{a_5} &:= \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] \\ &- \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using (2.50),

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{I^5}{a_5} &= \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right. \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial t \partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-4)\omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \left. \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \right] \\ &- \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right. \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial s \partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-4)\omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \left. \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \right] \\ &= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ 2 \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-4)\omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &- \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-4)\omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\ &+ \frac{A_2}{n-3} + \frac{B_2}{n-3} \\ &= H_2 + \frac{3}{n-3}(A_2 + B_2) + A_3 + B_3, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(2.57) \quad \begin{aligned} H_2 &:= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\ &+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.58) \quad \begin{aligned} A_3 &:= \int_X (n-4) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\ &\wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.59) \quad \begin{aligned} B_3 &:= \int_X (n-4) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\ &\wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, for

$$(2.60) \quad d\Psi^6 =: I^6 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

we have

$$(2.61) \quad \frac{I^6}{a_6} = \overline{H_2} + \frac{3}{n-3} (\overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}) + \overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}.$$

As (2.44), the hard part H_2 is calculated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} H_2 &= \int_X \partial \left[\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &+ \int_X \bar{\partial} \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right) \right] \\ &+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right) \right] \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\ &= \int_X \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \left[\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \right] \wedge \partial \psi \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.62) \quad H_2 &= \int_X \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi
\end{aligned}$$

and, consequently, after taking the complex conjugate on both sides,

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.63) \quad \overline{H_2} &= \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \omega \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-4} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \omega \wedge (n-4) \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \psi.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$(2.64) \quad H_2 + \overline{H_2} = \frac{A_2 + B_2}{n-3} + \frac{\overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}}{n-3},$$

$$(2.65) \quad \frac{I^5}{a_5} + \frac{I^6}{a_6} = \frac{4}{n-3} (A_2 + B_2 + \overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}) + (A_3 + B_3 + \overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}).$$

If we set

$$(2.66) \quad c_3 := A_3 + B_3 + \overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}$$

we can rewrite (2.64) and (2.65) as

$$(2.67) \quad H_2 + \overline{H_2} = \frac{c_2}{n-3}, \quad \frac{I^5}{a_5} + \frac{I^6}{a_6} = \frac{4}{n-3} c_2 + c_3.$$

2.4. The constructions of I^7 and I^8 . Recall

$$A_3 = \int_X \left[(n-4) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right] \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right).$$

By a direct computation, one deduces that

$$\begin{aligned}
A_3 &= \int_X -\sqrt{-1}\partial \left[(n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right] \\
&\quad \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1}(n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \partial \left(\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right) \\
&\quad \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1}(n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \left[\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \partial \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right) \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1}(n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \left[\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \left(\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \right) \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X (n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&\quad + \int_X (n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \\
&= -B_3 + \int_X (n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Consequently, it follows that

$$(2.68) \quad A_3 + B_3 = \int_X (n-4)\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2.$$

Now we introduce the corresponding functionals

$$(2.69) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^7(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_7 \partial\varphi_t \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^2,$$

$$(2.70) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^8(\varphi', \varphi'') := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_8 \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^2$$

and consider the 1-forms

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^7 &= \left[\int_X a_7 \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] ds \\
(2.71) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_7 \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] dt,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^8 &= \left[\int_X a_8 \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] ds \\
(2.72) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_8 \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

So, we have the expression,

$$(2.73) \quad d\Psi^7 = I^7 \cdot dt \wedge ds, \quad d\Psi^8 = I^8 \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^7}{a_7} &:= \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right] \\
&= \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right. \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial t\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-5)\omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge 2\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \left. \right] \\
&- \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \right. \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial s\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-5)\omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge 2\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \left. \right] \\
&= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ 2 \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-5)\omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&- \int_X \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-5)\omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^2 \\
&+ \frac{2}{n-4}(A_3 + B_3) \\
&= H_3 + \frac{4}{n-4}(A_3 + B_3) + A_4 + B_4
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$(2.74) \quad \begin{aligned} H_3 &:= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\ &+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(2.75) \quad \begin{aligned} A_4 &:= \int_X (n-5) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-6} \\ &\wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.76) \quad \begin{aligned} B_4 &:= \int_X (n-5) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-6} \\ &\wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(2.77) \quad \frac{I^7}{a_7} = H_3 + \frac{4}{n-4} (A_3 + B_3) + A_4 + B_4.$$

Similarly

$$(2.78) \quad \frac{I^8}{a_8} = \overline{H_3} + \frac{4}{n-4} (\overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}) + \overline{A_4} + \overline{B_4}.$$

Calculate

$$\begin{aligned} H_3 &= \int_X \partial \left[\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &+ \int_X \bar{\partial} \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right) \right] \\ &+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \right) \right] \\ &= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\ &\quad - \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-5) \omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.79) \quad & \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\
&= \int_X \left[\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right] \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \psi \\
&- \int_X \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \left(\bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right. \\
&- \left. \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-5) \omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \right) \wedge \partial \psi,
\end{aligned}$$

it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.80) \quad H_3 &= \int_X \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (n-5) \omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \wedge \partial \psi \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-5} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (n-5) \omega_\psi^{n-6} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^2 \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(2.81) \quad H_3 + \overline{H_3} = \frac{A_3 + B_3}{n-4} + \frac{\overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}}{n-4},$$

$$(2.82) \quad \frac{I^7}{a_7} + \frac{I^8}{a_8} = \frac{5}{n-4} (A_3 + B_3 + \overline{A_3} + \overline{B_3}) + (A_4 + B_4 + \overline{A_4} + \overline{B_4}).$$

Set

$$(2.83) \quad c_4 := A_4 + B_4 + \overline{A_4} + \overline{B_4}.$$

Then

$$(2.84) \quad \frac{I^7}{a_7} + \frac{I^8}{a_8} = \frac{5}{n-4} c_3 + c_4.$$

2.5. Recursion formula. Suppose now $n \geq 4$. we define, for $2 \leq i \leq n-2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.85) \quad A_i &:= \int_X \left[(n-i-1) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-2} \right] \\
&\wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.86) \quad B_i &:= \int_X \left[(n-i-1) \partial \psi \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-2} \right] \\
&\wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right).
\end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned}
A_i &= \int_X \left[(n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \right] \\
&\quad \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \partial \left[(n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \right] \\
&\quad \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \left[\partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial \left(\partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \right) \right] \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \partial\bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \\
&\quad \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&+ \int_X \sqrt{-1} (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \partial \left(\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \right) \\
&\quad \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \int_X (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \\
&\quad \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \\
&+ \int_X (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1};
\end{aligned}$$

thus

$$(2.87) \quad A_i + B_i = \int_X (n-i-1) \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1}.$$

Define, where a_{2i+1} and a_{2i+2} are nonzero constants and we require $\overline{a_{2i+1}} = a_{2i+2}$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}_\omega^{2i+1}(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_{2i+1} \partial\varphi_t \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^{i-1}, \\
\mathcal{L}_\omega^{2i+2}(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X a_{2i+2} \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \\
(2.88) \quad &\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^{i-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^{2i+1} &= \left[\int_X a_{2i+1} \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] ds \\
(2.89) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_{2i+1} \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] dt,
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Psi^{2i+2} &= \left[\int_X a_{2i+2} \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] ds \\
 (2.90) \quad &+ \left[\int_X a_{2i+2} \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

So

$$(2.91) \quad d\Psi^{2i+1} = I^{2i+1} \cdot dt \wedge ds, \quad d\Psi^{2i+2} = I^{2i+2} \cdot dt \wedge ds,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} &:= \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] \\
 &- \int_X \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right] \\
 &= \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right. \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial t \partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-i-2)\omega_\psi^{n-i-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
 &\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (i-1)(\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \\
 &\quad \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \left. \right] \\
 &- \int_X \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \right. \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial^2\psi}{\partial s \partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge (n-i-2)\omega_\psi^{n-i-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \\
 &\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-1} \\
 &+ \partial\psi \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial}\psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (i-1)(\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi)^{i-2} \\
 &\quad \wedge \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial s} \right) \left. \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} &= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&+ 2 \int_X \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&+ \int_X \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-i-2) \omega_\psi^{n-i-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \\
&\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&- \int_X \partial \psi \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-i-2) \omega_\psi^{n-i-3} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \\
&\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} + (i-1)(A_i + B_i)/(n-i-1) \\
(2.92) \quad &= H_i + \frac{i+1}{n-(i+1)}(A_i + B_i) + A_{i+1} + B_{i+1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Here

$$\begin{aligned}
H_i &:= \int_X -\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
(2.93) \quad &+ \int_X \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$(2.94) \quad \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}} = \overline{H_i} + \frac{i+1}{n-(i+1)}(\overline{A_i} + \overline{B_i}) + \overline{A_{i+1}} + \overline{B_{i+1}}.$$

Calculate

$$\begin{aligned}
H_i &= \int_X \partial \left[\bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\
&+ \int_X \bar{\partial} \left[\partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right] \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \\
&= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\partial \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right) \right] \\
&+ \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \left[\bar{\partial} \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \left(\partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \right) \right] \\
&= \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \bar{\partial} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge \omega_\psi^{n-i-2} \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1} \\
&- \int_X \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} \cdot \partial \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi \wedge (n-i-2) \omega_\psi^{n-i-3} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \psi)^{i-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

So, for $2 \leq i \leq n-2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.97) \quad H_i + \overline{H_i} &= \frac{A_i + B_i}{n-i-1} + \frac{\overline{A_i} + \overline{B_i}}{n-i-1}, \\
 \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} + \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}} &= H_i + \overline{H_i} + \frac{i+1}{n-(i+1)}(A_i + B_i + \overline{A_i} + \overline{B_i}) \\
 &\quad + (A_{i+1} + B_{i+1} + \overline{A_{i+1}} + \overline{B_{i+1}}) \\
 &= \frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}(A_i + B_i + \overline{A_i} + \overline{B_i}) \\
 (2.98) \quad &\quad + (A_{i+1} + B_{i+1} + \overline{A_{i+1}} + \overline{B_{i+1}}).
 \end{aligned}$$

Recall, see (2.49),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} &= \frac{3\sqrt{-1}}{n-2} ((A_1 + B_1) - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1})) + (A_2 + B_2 + \overline{A_2} + \overline{B_2}) \\
 \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} &= \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + (A_1 + B_1) - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}).
 \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$(2.99) \quad c_i := A_i + B_i + \overline{A_i} + \overline{B_i}, \quad 2 \leq i \leq n-1,$$

$$(2.100) \quad c_1 := A_1 + B_1 - (\overline{A_1} + \overline{B_1}).$$

Notice that $c_{n-1} = 0$. So

$$(2.101) \quad \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} + \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}} = \frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}c_i + c_{i+1}, \quad 2 \leq i \leq n-2,$$

$$(2.102) \quad \frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} = \frac{3}{-(n-2)\sqrt{-1}}c_1 + c_2,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} &= \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + c_1 \\
 &= \frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} + \left(\frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} - c_2 \right) \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}} \\
 &= \left(\frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} \right) + \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}} \left(\frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} \right) - \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}}c_2.
 \end{aligned}$$

It is sufficient to determine c_2 . Let

$$(2.103) \quad J_i := \frac{I^{2i+1}}{a_{2i+1}} + \frac{I^{2i+2}}{a_{2i+2}}.$$

Then

$$(2.104) \quad c_{i+1} = -\frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}c_i + J_i, \quad 2 \leq i \leq n-2.$$

To completely determine c_2 , it is sufficient to solve (2.104). A direct calculation shows

$$\begin{aligned}
c_3 &= -\frac{4}{n-3}c_2 + J_2, \\
c_4 &= -\frac{5}{n-4}c_3 + J_3 = -\frac{5}{n-4}\left(-\frac{4}{n-3}c_2 + J_2\right) + J_3 \\
&= (-1)^2 \frac{5 \times 4}{(n-4)(n-3)}c_2 - \frac{5}{n-4}J_2 + J_3, \\
c_5 &= -\frac{6}{n-5}c_4 + J_4 \\
&= -\frac{6}{n-5}\left[(-1)^2 \frac{5 \times 4}{(n-4)(n-3)}c_2 - \frac{5}{n-4}J_2 + J_3\right] + J_4 \\
&= (-1)^3 \frac{6 \times 5 \times 4}{(n-5)(n-4)(n-3)}c_2 + (-1)^2 \frac{6 \times 5}{(n-5)(n-4)}J_2 - \frac{6}{n-5}J_3 + J_4
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$(2.105) \quad c_i = (-1)^{i-2} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{3!(n-3)!}c_2 + \sum_{k=2}^{i-1} (-1)^{i-1-k} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!}J_k.$$

By induction on i , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
c_{i+1} &= -\frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}c_i + J_i \\
&= -\frac{i+2}{n-(i+1)}\left[(-1)^{i-2} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{3!(n-3)!}c_2\right. \\
&\quad \left.+ \sum_{k=2}^{i-1} (-1)^{i-1-k} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!}J_k\right] + J_i \\
&= (-1)^{i+1-2} \frac{(i+2)!(n-i-2)!}{3!(n-3)!}c_2 \\
&\quad + \sum_{k=2}^{i-1} (-1)^{i-k} \frac{(i+2)!(n-i-2)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!}J_k + J_i.
\end{aligned}$$

So (2.105) holds for $2 \leq i \leq n-2$ and we have

$$\begin{aligned}
c_2 &= (-1)^{i-2} \frac{3!(n-3)!}{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!} \\
(2.106) \quad &\cdot \left[c_i - \sum_{k=2}^{i-1} (-1)^{i-1-k} \frac{(i+1)!(n-i-1)!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!}J_k \right].
\end{aligned}$$

Setting $i = n-1$ yields

$$\begin{aligned}
c_2 &= (-1)^{n-3} \frac{3!(n-3)!}{n!} \\
(2.107) \quad &\cdot \left[c_{n-1} - \sum_{k=2}^{n-2} (-1)^{n-2-k} \frac{n!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!}J_k \right], \quad n \geq 3.
\end{aligned}$$

We deduce from (2.49) and (2.107) that

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} &= \left(\frac{I^0}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} \right) + \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}} \left(\frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} \right) \\
&\quad - \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}} (-1)^{n-3} \frac{3!(n-3)!}{n!} \\
&\quad \cdot \left[c_{n-1} - \sum_{k=2}^{n-2} (-1)^{n-2-k} \frac{n!}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!} J_k \right] \\
&= \left(\frac{I^0}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} \right) + \frac{n-2}{3\sqrt{-1}} \left(\frac{I^3}{a_3} + \frac{I^4}{a_4} \right) \\
&\quad + \frac{2(n-2)!}{\sqrt{-1}} \sum_{k=2}^{n-2} \frac{(-1)^{k+1}}{(k+2)!(n-k-2)!} \left(\frac{I^{2k+1}}{a_{2k+1}} + \frac{I^{2k+2}}{a_{2k+2}} \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Equivalently,

$$(2.108) \quad \frac{2I^0}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}} = \left(\frac{I^1}{a_1} - \frac{I^2}{a_2} \right) + \sqrt{-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-2} (-1)^k \frac{\binom{n}{k+2}}{\binom{n}{2}} \left(\frac{I^{2k+1}}{a_{2k+1}} + \frac{I^{2k+2}}{a_{2k+2}} \right).$$

Set

$$(2.109) \quad \frac{1}{a_1} = -\frac{2}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}, \quad \frac{1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}},$$

$$(2.110) \quad \frac{\sqrt{-1}(-1)^k \binom{n}{k+2}}{\binom{n}{2} a_{2k+1}} = -\frac{2}{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}, \quad a_{2i+1} = a_{2i+2},$$

we obtain

$$(2.111) \quad a_1 = -\frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2}, \quad a_2 = \frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_{2k+1} &= a_{2k+2} \\
&= \frac{\sqrt{-1}(-1)^k \binom{n}{k+2} n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{-2\binom{n}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2.112) \quad = \frac{(-1)^k n(n-1) \binom{n}{k+2}}{2\binom{n}{2}} = (-1)^k \binom{n}{k+2}.$$

Consequently,

$$(2.113) \quad I^0 + \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} (I^{2k+1} + I^{2k+2}) = 0.$$

Theorem 2.1. *The functional, for $n \geq 2$,*

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.114) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi', \varphi'') &:= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \dot{\varphi}_t \omega_{\varphi_t}^n dt \\
&- \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2} \partial\omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \frac{n(n-1)\sqrt{-1}}{2} \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-2} \wedge (\partial\dot{\varphi}_t \cdot \varphi_t) dt \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X (-1)^i \binom{n}{i+2} \partial\varphi_t \wedge \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \\
&\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^{i-1} \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X (-1)^i \binom{n}{i+2} \bar{\partial}\varphi_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial\varphi_t \wedge \omega_{\varphi_t}^{n-i-2} \\
&\quad \wedge (\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_t)^{i-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

is independent of the choice of the smooth path $\{\varphi_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ in \mathcal{P}_ω from φ' to φ'' .

Proof. Using (2.113), we can prove Theorem 2.1 in the similar way as [2]. \square

Corollary 2.2. *Suppose $n \geq 2$. For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$ one has*

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.115) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) &:= \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(0, \varphi) = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^n \int_X \frac{1}{n+1} \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} \\
&- \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \\
&+ \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Since $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi)$ is independent of the choice of smooth path, we pick $\varphi_t = t\varphi$, $0 \leq t \leq 1$. Then $\bar{\partial}\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi_t = \partial\dot{\varphi}_t \wedge \partial\varphi_t = 0$, and

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \varphi \omega_{t\varphi}^n dt \\
&- \frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\omega \wedge \omega_{t\varphi}^{n-2} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\varphi \cdot t\varphi) dt \\
&+ \frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_{t\varphi}^{n-2} \wedge (\partial\varphi \cdot t\varphi) dt =: J_0 + J_1 + J_2.
\end{aligned}$$

Now we compute J_0, J_1, J_2 , respectively. Using

$$\omega_{t\varphi} = \omega + t\sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi = \omega + t(\omega_\varphi - \omega) = t\omega_\varphi + (1-t)\omega,$$

it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
J_0 &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \int_0^1 \varphi \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} t^i (1-t)^{n-i} dt \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \binom{n}{i} \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} \cdot \int_0^1 t^i (1-t)^{n-i} dt \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \binom{n}{i} \frac{\Gamma(i+1)\Gamma(n-i+1)}{\Gamma(n+2)} \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \frac{n!}{i!(n-i)!} \frac{i!(n-i)!}{(n+1)!} \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i} = \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \frac{1}{n+1} \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i},
\end{aligned}$$

where $\Gamma(x)$ is the Gamma function. Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
J_1 &= -\frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_X \int_0^1 \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge [t\omega_\varphi + (1-t)\omega]^{n-2} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\varphi \cdot t\varphi) dt \\
&= -\frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_X \int_0^1 \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \\
&\quad \wedge \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \binom{n-2}{i} t^{i+1} \omega_\varphi^i (1-t)^{n-2-i} \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\varphi \cdot \varphi) dt \\
&= -\frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\varphi \cdot \varphi) \\
&\quad \cdot \int_0^1 \binom{n-2}{i} t^{i+1} (1-t)^{n-2-i} dt \\
&= -\frac{n(n-1)}{2V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge (\bar{\partial}\varphi \cdot \varphi) \cdot \frac{i+1}{n(n-1)} \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{-1}{2V_\omega} \int_X (i+1) \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

Taking the complex conjugate gives

$$J_2 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X (i+1) \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.$$

Together with the expressions of J_0, J_1 and J_2 , we complete the proof. \square

Remark 2.3. When (X, ω) is a compact Kähler manifold, the functional (2.114) or (2.115) coincides with the original one.

Let S be a non-empty set and A an additive group. A mapping $\mathcal{N} : S \times S \rightarrow A$ is said to satisfy the 1-cocycle condition if

- (i) $\mathcal{N}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) + \mathcal{N}(\sigma_2, \sigma_1) = 0$;
- (ii) $\mathcal{N}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2) + \mathcal{N}(\sigma_2, \sigma_3) + \mathcal{N}(\sigma_3, \sigma_1) = 0$.

Corollary 2.4. (1) The functional \mathcal{L}_ω^M satisfies the 1-cocycle condition.

(2) For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$ and any constant $C \in \mathbb{R}$, we have

$$(2.116) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi, \varphi + C) = C \cdot \left(1 + \frac{\text{Err}_\omega(\varphi)}{V_\omega}\right), \quad \text{Err}_\omega(\varphi) := \int_X \omega^n - \int_X \omega_\varphi^n.$$

In particular, if $\partial\bar{\partial}\omega = \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega = 0$, then $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi, \varphi + C) = C$.

(3) For any $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$ and any constant $C \in \mathbb{R}$, we have

$$(2.117) \quad \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi_1, \varphi_2 + C) = \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) + C \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\text{Err}_\omega(\varphi_2)}{V_\omega}\right).$$

In particular, if $\partial\bar{\partial}\omega = \partial\omega \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega = 0$, then $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi_1, \varphi_2 + C) = \mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) + C$.

Proof. The proof is similar to that given in [2, 3]. \square

3. AUBIN-YAU FUNCTIONALS ON COMPACT COMPLEX MANIFOLDS

3.1. The main idea. The strategy to construct Aubin-Yau functionals is to use the inequalities (1.5) and (1.6) to determine the extra terms. Firstly we can show that

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &\quad - \frac{\mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi)}{n+1} + \frac{\mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi)}{2}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} (n+1) \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &\quad + \frac{\mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi)}{2} + (n+1) [\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi)] \\ &\quad - \frac{\mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi)}{n-1}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi), \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi), \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi), \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi), \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi), \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi), \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi)$ are functionals determined in next subsection. Inspired by (3.1) and (3.2), we define Aubin-Yau functionals as follows:

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &\quad + a_1^1 \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + a_1^2 \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + b_1^1 \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + b_1^2 \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) \\ &\quad + c_1 \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + d_1 \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) + e_1 \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + f_1 \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi), \\ \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &\quad + (a_2^1 - 1) \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + (a_2^2 - 1) \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + (b_2^1 - 1) \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + (b_2^2 - 1) \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) \\ &\quad + c_2 \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + d_2 \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) + e_2 \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + f_2 \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

Here $a_j^i, b_j^i, c_k, d_k, e_k$, and f_k are constants determined by the following two inequalities:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \geq 0, \\ (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{n-1-i}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

It gives us a system of linear equations of 16 parameters and eventually we evaluate these parameters:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1^1 &= b_1^1 = -\frac{n}{n-1}, & a_2^1 &= b_2^1 = -\frac{n}{n^2-1}, \\ a_1^2 &= b_1^2 = \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}, & a_2^2 &= b_2^2 = \frac{n}{n+1} \left(1 + \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}\right), \\ c_1 &= d_1 = -\frac{n+1}{2(n-1)}, & e_2 &= f_2 = -\frac{n}{2(n^2-1)}, \\ c_2 &= d_2 = e_1 = f_1 = -\frac{1}{2(n-1)}. \end{aligned}$$

By a long computation we find an explicit and shorted formulae for $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ and $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$:

$$\begin{aligned} (3.5) \quad \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X (\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) \\ &- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi, \\ (3.6) \quad \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\ &- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi. \end{aligned}$$

3.2. The construction of Aubin-Yau functionals. Let (X, g) be a compact complex manifold of the complex dimension $n \geq 3$ and ω be its associated real $(1, 1)$ -form. We recall some notation in [2]. For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$ we set

$$(3.7) \quad \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi (\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n),$$

$$(3.8) \quad \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) := \int_0^1 \frac{\mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(s \cdot \varphi)}{s} ds = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \varphi (\omega^n - \omega_{s \cdot \varphi}^n) ds.$$

Two relations showed in [2] are

$$\begin{aligned} (3.9) \quad &\frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot (-\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi) \wedge \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (3.10) \quad &(n+1) \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \cdot (-\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi) \wedge \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j. \end{aligned}$$

According to the expression of $\mathcal{L}_\omega^M(\varphi)$, we set

$$(3.11) \quad \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi,$$

$$(3.12) \quad \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.$$

Using (3.9) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \left(\varphi \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \left(\partial \varphi \wedge \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \varphi \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} [(n-1-j) \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \\ &+ \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge j \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge \partial \omega] \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi; \end{aligned}$$

from the identity $i(n-1-i) + (i+1)^2 = (i+1) + in$, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \\ &+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i(n-1-i)}{n+1} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{(i+1)^2}{n+1} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i+1+in}{n+1} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &+ \frac{1}{(n+1)V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi. \end{aligned}$$

To simplify the notation, we set

$$(3.13) \quad \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{in}{n+1} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi.$$

Since $n \geq 3$, the above expression is well defined. Therefore

$$(3.14) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} - \frac{2}{n+1} \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, using the slightly different method, we obtain (see A.1)

$$(3.15) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} - \frac{2}{n+1} \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(3.16) \quad \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) := \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{in}{n+1} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi.$$

Equations (3.14) and (3.15) implies

$$(3.17) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &\quad - \frac{\mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi)}{n+1} + \frac{\mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi)}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

By the definition we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X (\varphi \omega^n - \varphi \omega_{s\varphi}^n) ds = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n - \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_0^1 \int_X \varphi \omega_{t\varphi}^n dt \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n - (\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) - \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi)) \\ &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n - \mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

If we define

$$(3.18) \quad \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{n^2}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi,$$

$$(3.19) \quad \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi$$

$$(3.20) \quad \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) := \frac{n-1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge -\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi,$$

then $\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) = \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi)$ and it follows that (see A.1)

$$(3.21) \quad \begin{aligned} (n+1) \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}} - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &\quad + \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + 2(n+1) \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) - \frac{2}{n-1} \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

Introduce the corresponding functionals

$$(3.22) \quad \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{n^2}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi,$$

$$(3.23) \quad \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) := \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi$$

$$(3.24) \quad \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) := \frac{n-1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi.$$

Then $\mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) = \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi)$ and hence (see A.2)

$$(3.25) \quad \begin{aligned} (n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &+ \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi) + 2(n+1)\mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) - \frac{2}{n-1}\mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

The equations (3.21) and (3.25) together gives

$$(3.26) \quad \begin{aligned} (n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\ &+ \frac{\mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi)}{2} + (n+1)(\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi)) \\ &- \frac{\mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi)}{n-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Now, we define Aubin-Yau functionals over any compact complex manifolds as follows:

$$(3.27) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &+ a_1^1 \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + a_1^2 \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + b_1^1 \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + b_1^2 \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) \\ &+ c_1 \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + d_1 \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) + e_1 \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + f_1 \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi), \\ \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &:= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\ &+ a_2^1 \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + a_2^2 \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + b_2^1 \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + b_2^2 \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) \\ &+ c_2 \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + d_2 \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) + e_2 \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + f_2 \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi), \\ &= \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\ &+ (a_2^1 - 1) \mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + (a_2^2 - 1) \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + (b_2^1 - 1) \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + (b_2^2 - 1) \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) \\ (3.28) \quad &+ c_2 \mathcal{C}_\omega(\varphi) + d_2 \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi) + e_2 \mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + f_2 \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

Plugging (3.27) and (3.28) into (3.26) and (3.17), we obtain

$$(3.29) \quad \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) = \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \geq 0,$$

and

$$(3.30) \quad (n+1)\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{n-1-i}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \geq 0,$$

where we require that constants satisfy the following linear equations system

$$(3.31) \quad \frac{n}{n+1}a_1^1 - (a_2^1 - 1) = \frac{1}{n+1}, \quad \frac{n}{n+1}a_1^2 - (a_2^2 - 1) = \frac{1}{n+1},$$

$$(3.32) \quad \frac{n}{n+1}b_1^1 - (b_2^1 - 1) = \frac{1}{n+1}, \quad \frac{n}{n+1}b_1^2 - (b_2^2 - 1) = \frac{1}{n+1},$$

$$(3.33) \quad \frac{n}{n+1}c_1 - c_2 = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{n}{n+1}d_1 - d_2 = -\frac{1}{2},$$

$$(3.34) \quad \frac{n}{n+1}e_1 - e_2 = 0, \quad \frac{n}{n+1}f_1 - f_2 = 0,$$

$$(3.35) \quad (n+1)(a_2^1 - 1) - a_1^1 = -(n+1), \quad (n+1)(a_2^2 - 1) - a_1^2 = \frac{1}{n-1},$$

$$(3.36) \quad (n+1)(b_2^1 - 1) - b_1^1 = -(n+1), \quad (n+1)(b_2^2 - 1) - b_1^2 = \frac{1}{n-1},$$

$$(3.37) \quad (n+1)c_2 - c_1 = 0, \quad (n+1)d_2 - d_1 = 0,$$

$$(3.38) \quad (n+1)e_2 - e_1 = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad (n+1)f_2 - f_1 = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

The constants $a_i^j, b_i^j, c_i, d_i, e_i$ and f_i , calculated in Appendix B, are

$$(3.39) \quad a_1^1 = b_1^1 = -\frac{n}{n-1}, \quad a_2^1 = b_2^1 = -\frac{n}{n^2-1},$$

$$(3.40) \quad a_1^2 = b_1^2 = \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}, \quad a_2^2 = b_2^2 = \frac{n}{n+1} \left(1 + \frac{n}{(n-1)^2} \right)$$

$$(3.41) \quad c_1 = d_1 = -\frac{n+1}{2(n-1)}, \quad e_2 = f_2 = -\frac{n}{2(n^2-1)},$$

$$(3.42) \quad c_2 = d_2 = e_1 = f_1 = -\frac{1}{2(n-1)}.$$

The explicit formulas for $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ and $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ are given in Proposition C.1 and C.2 respectively. Namely,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &\quad + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi, \\ (3.43) \quad &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\ &\quad + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\ (3.44) \quad &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \int_X \frac{n-i}{n+1} \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-i-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Here the formulas (3.43) and (3.44) come from the solution of the system of linear equations (3.29) and (3.30).

From (3.29), (3.30), (3.37) and (3.44), we deduce the following

Theorem 3.1. *For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{P}_\omega$, one has*

$$(3.45) \quad \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \geq 0,$$

$$(3.46) \quad (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \geq 0.$$

In particular

$$(3.47) \quad \frac{1}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi),$$

$$(3.48) \quad \frac{n+1}{n} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq (n+1) \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi),$$

$$(3.49) \quad \frac{1}{n} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \frac{1}{n+1} \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$$

$$(3.50) \quad \leq \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \leq n \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi).$$

APPENDIX A. PROOF THE IDENTITIES (3.14), (3.21) AND (3.25)

In Appendix A we verify the identities (3.14), (3.21) and (3.25).

$$\begin{aligned}
(A.1) \quad & \frac{n}{n+1} \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \left(\varphi \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \left(\varphi \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \left(\bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \varphi \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{j}{n+1} [(n-1-j) \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \\
&+ \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge j \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega] \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i(n-1-i)}{n+1} \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \frac{(i+1)^2}{n+1} \int_X -\sqrt{-1} \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{i}{n+1} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i - \frac{2}{n+1} \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{D}_\omega(\varphi)
\end{aligned}$$

which gives (3.15). Calculate

$$\begin{aligned}
& (n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}} - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \left(\varphi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge (-\sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} \varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \left(\varphi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \sqrt{-1} \varphi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} [(n-1-j)^2 \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \partial \omega \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \\
&+ (n-1-j)j \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge \partial \omega] \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j)^2 \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j)j \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2} (n-1-j)^2 \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} (i+1)(n-i-2) \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial \varphi \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} [n^2 - (n+1)(i+1)] \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge (\sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi) \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi
\end{aligned}$$

where we use the elementary identity

$$\begin{aligned}
& (n-1-i)^2 + (i+1)(n-i-2) \\
&= (n-1)^2 + i^2 - 2(n-1)i + (n-2)(i+1) - i(i+1) \\
&= n^2 - 2n + 1 + i^2 - 2ni + 2i + ni + n - 2i - 2 - i^2 - i \\
&= n^2 - n - 1 - ni - i = -(n+1)(i+1) + n^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Using the definitions of $\mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi)$, $\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi)$, $\mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi)$, we have $\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) = \mathcal{A}_\omega(\varphi)$ and hence (3.21) holds. Similarly, we have $\mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi) = \mathcal{B}_\omega(\varphi)$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
& (n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1}\partial \left(\varphi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \right) \wedge \partial\varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1}\partial\varphi \wedge \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j) \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \wedge \partial\varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X -\sqrt{-1}\varphi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j)((n-1-j)\omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \\
&+ j\omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge \bar{\partial}\omega) \wedge \partial\varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1}\partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j)^2 \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^j \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi) \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-1-j)j \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-1-j} \wedge \omega_\varphi^{j-1} \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1}\partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i)^2 \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi) \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} (n-i-2)(i+1) \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi) \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1}\partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} [n^2 - (n+1)(i+1)] \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi) \\
&+ \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge (-\sqrt{-1}\bar{\partial}\omega \wedge \partial\varphi).
\end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned}
(n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1}\partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\
&+ \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi) + 2(n+1)\mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi) - \frac{2}{n-1}\mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi).
\end{aligned}
\tag{A.2}$$

Therefore (3.21) and (3.25) together gives

$$\begin{aligned}
(n+1)\mathcal{J}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) - \mathcal{I}_{\omega|\bullet}^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (n-1-i) \int_X \sqrt{-1} \partial\varphi \wedge \bar{\partial}\varphi \wedge \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-1-i} \\
\text{(A.3)} \quad &+ \frac{\mathcal{E}_\omega(\varphi) + \mathcal{F}_\omega(\varphi)}{2} + (n+1)(\mathcal{A}_\omega^1(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^1(\varphi)) \\
&- \frac{\mathcal{A}_\omega^2(\varphi) + \mathcal{B}_\omega^2(\varphi)}{n-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

APPENDIX B. SOLVE THE SYSTEM OF THE LINEAR EQUATIONS

In this section we try to solve the system of the linear equations (3.31)-(3.38). Firstly we solve (3.31) and (3.35) as follows: (3.31) and (3.35) gives us the following equations

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(B.1)} \quad &\frac{n}{n+1}a_1^1 - \frac{1}{n+1} = a_2^1 - 1, \\
&(n+1)(a_2^1 - 1) + (n+1) = a_1^1,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(B.2)} \quad &\frac{n}{n+1}a_1^2 - \frac{1}{n+1} = a_2^2 - 1, \\
&(n+1)(a_2^2 - 1) - \frac{1}{n-1} = a_1^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Plugging the first equation into second equation in (B.1), we have

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1}a_1^1 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) + (n+1) = a_1^1$$

which implies

$$\text{(B.3)} \quad a_1^1 = -\frac{n}{n-1}, \quad a_2^1 = -\frac{n}{n^2-1}.$$

Similarly,

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1}a_1^2 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) - \frac{1}{n+1} = a_1^2,$$

therefore

$$\text{(B.4)} \quad a_1^2 = \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}, \quad a_2^2 = \frac{n}{n+1} \left(1 + \frac{n}{(n-1)^2} \right) = \frac{n^3 - n^2 + n}{n^3 - n^2 - n + 1}.$$

Secondly, (3.32) and (3.36) implies

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(B.5)} \quad &\frac{n}{n+1}b_1^1 - \frac{1}{n+1} = b_2^1 - 1, \\
&(n+1)(b_2^1 - 1) = \frac{1}{1} - (n+1),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(B.6)} \quad &\frac{n}{n+1}b_1^2 - \frac{1}{n+1} = b_2^2 - 1, \\
&(n+1)(b_2^2 - 1) = b_1^2 + \frac{1}{n-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

The above linear equations system gives

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1}b_1^1 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) = b_1^1 - (n+1)$$

and

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1} b_1^2 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) = b_1^2 + \frac{1}{n-1},$$

respectively. Hence

$$(B.7) \quad b_1^1 = -\frac{n}{n-1},$$

$$b_2^1 = -\frac{n}{n^2-1},$$

$$(B.8) \quad b_1^2 = \frac{n}{(n-1)^2},$$

$$b_2^2 = \frac{n}{n+1} \left(1 + \frac{n}{(n-1)^2} \right).$$

Continuously, equations (3.33) and (3.37) shows that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n}{n+1} c_1 - c_2 &= -\frac{1}{2}, & (n+1)c_2 - c_1 &= 0, \\ \frac{n}{n+1} d_1 - d_2 &= -\frac{1}{2}, & (n+1)d_2 - d_1 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Eliminating c_2 and d_2 respectively, we have

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1} c_1 + \frac{1}{2} \right) - c_1 = 0,$$

$$(n+1) \left(\frac{n}{n+1} d_1 + \frac{1}{2} \right) - d_1 = 0.$$

Thus

$$(B.9) \quad c_1 = -\frac{n+1}{2(n-1)},$$

$$c_2 = -\frac{1}{2(n-1)},$$

$$(B.10) \quad d_1 = -\frac{n+1}{2(n-1)},$$

$$d_2 = -\frac{1}{2(n-1)}.$$

Similarly, from (3.34) and (3.38) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n}{n+1} e_1 - e_2 &= 0, & (n+1)e_2 - e_1 &= -\frac{1}{2}, \\ \frac{n}{n+1} f_1 - f_2 &= 0, & (n+1)f_2 - f_1 &= -\frac{1}{2}, \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$(B.11) \quad e_1 = f_1 = -\frac{1}{2(n-1)},$$

$$(B.12) \quad e_2 = f_2 = -\frac{n}{2(n^2-1)}.$$

APPENDIX C. EXPLICIT FORMULAS OF $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ AND $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$

In this section we give the explicit formulas of $\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$ and $\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi)$. In what follows, we assume that $n \geq 3$. Using the constants determined in Appendix B, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) \\
&= \frac{n}{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{n}{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad + \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{n}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-3-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&\quad + \frac{n}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{n^2}{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&\quad + \frac{n^2}{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

When $n = 3$, it is easy to see that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^3 - \omega_\varphi^3) \\
&\quad + \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{9}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{9}{4V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^3 - \omega_\varphi^3) \\
&\quad - \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&\quad - \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

For general $n \geq 4$, a simple computation shows

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \left[\frac{n(i+1)}{n-1} - \frac{in}{n-1} - \frac{n^2}{n-1} \right] \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{n(n-2)}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \left[-\frac{n(i+1)}{n-1} + \frac{in}{n-1} + \frac{n^2}{n-1} \right] \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n(n-2)}{n-1} \frac{2}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n^2}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{n^2}{n-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) \\
&- \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus

Proposition C.1. *If $n \geq 3$, one has*

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{I}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi(\omega^n - \omega_\varphi^n) \\
&- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\
&= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\
&+ \frac{n}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n+1} \left(n-1 + \frac{n}{n-1} \right) \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{i+1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n+1} \left(n-1 + \frac{n}{n-1} \right) \frac{2}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{i}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi
\end{aligned}$$

When $n = 3$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) \\
&= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^3 \\
&+ \frac{3}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{3}{4} \left(2 + \frac{3}{2} \right) \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{3}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{3}{4} \left(2 + \frac{3}{2} \right) \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{3}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{27}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{27}{8} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^3 \\
&- \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{3}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi
\end{aligned}$$

When $n \geq 4$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\
&+ \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \left[\frac{n(i+1)}{n^2-1} - \frac{in}{n^2-1} - \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \right] \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n^2-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n+1} \left(n-1 + \frac{n}{n-1} \right) \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_Z \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} \left[-\frac{n(i+1)}{n^2-1} + \frac{in}{n^2-1} + \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \right] \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n}{n^2-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{n+1} \left(n-1 + \frac{n}{n-1} \right) \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n(n-2)}{(n^2-1)2V_\omega} \int_Z \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{n(n-2)}{(n^2-1)2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi \\
&- \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi + \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} \frac{1}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi
\end{aligned}$$

Using the identities

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{n(i+1)}{n^2-1} - \frac{in}{n^2-1} - \frac{n^3}{n^2-1} &= \frac{n-n^3}{n^2-1} = -n, \\
-\frac{n}{n+1} \left(n-1 + \frac{n}{n-1} \right) - \frac{n(n-2)}{n^2-1} &= \frac{-n[(n-1)^2+n] - n(n-2)}{n^2-1} = -n,
\end{aligned}$$

the above expression can be simplified as

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\
&- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

In summary,

Proposition C.2. *If $n \geq 3$, one has*

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{J}_\omega^{\text{AY}}(\varphi) &= -\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\text{M}}(\varphi) + \frac{1}{V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^n \\
&- \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi - \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \partial \omega \wedge \bar{\partial} \varphi \\
&+ \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \int_X \varphi \omega_\varphi^i \wedge \omega^{n-2-i} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi + \frac{n}{2V_\omega} \int_X \varphi \omega^{n-2} \wedge \sqrt{-1} \bar{\partial} \omega \wedge \partial \varphi.
\end{aligned}$$

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